

# GAIN SIGHTS

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Global Alliance of Industries @ NTU

Senior Vice President Research (SVPR) Office Communication

## MESSAGE FROM SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT (RESEARCH)

### Global Alliance of Industries @ NTU (GAIN)

GAIN is NTU's new initiative to create and develop deeper industry relations and facilitate greater research advancements. GAIN is a one-stop platform to create new partnerships, accelerate innovation and foster interdisciplinary collaborations. GAIN would serve as a gateway for our industry partners to tap on the expertise of our world-class faculty and researchers. Together with GAIN Director (Prof. Madhavi Srinivasan), we look forward to working with strategic partners to leverage on our strengths to accelerate research innovation and collectively achieve a better future.

We are excited to share with you a slew of initiatives in the coming months through our GAIN newsletter (GAIN SIGHTS). We recently organised GAIN Distinguished Speaker Series, a flagship event to bring renowned academia/industry experts to engage with NTU community. The inaugural session was conducted by Mr Kris Gopalakrishnan, Co-Founder of Infosys and our esteemed Nanyang Professor of Practice, where he shared invaluable insights on the challenges and opportunities that arose from the COVID-19 pandemic. We look forward to engaging everyone with more activities and events in the year ahead.

Wishing everyone a healthy and safe year ahead.



Professor Lam Khin Yong  
Senior Vice President (Research)  
NTU President's Office

## GAIN ACTIVITIES



### Distinguished Speaker Series: What the Pandemic has Taught Us

GAIN hosted its inaugural Distinguished Speaker Series featuring Nanyang Professor of Practice, Mr Kris Gopalakrishnan, Co-Founder of Infosys and recipient of Padma Bhushan (Government of India), the country's third-highest civilian honor. The session, moderated by NTU President Subra Suresh, was conducted in a hybrid (physical and virtual) mode which was well attended by participants from Singapore and India.

[Watch the webinar here >>](#)



### Inter-company roundtable on Artificial Intelligence

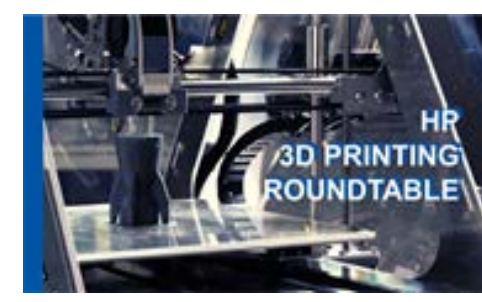
In collaboration with NVIDIA AI Technology Center, Global Alliance of Industries @ NTU (GAIN) organised multiple inter-company roundtables in to explore how Artificial Intelligence (AI) can be used to drive innovation and business growth.

Click [HERE](#) for more details.



### Food Science & Technology Global 2021 (FSTG)

The Food Science & Technology Global 2021 (FST Global 2021) conference aims to bring together food science and technology experts from local and overseas institutions to share their research and innovation, and nurture new partnership and collaboration. GAIN supported this event by reaching out to industry partners.



### Inter-company roundtable on 3D Printing

In collaboration with HP, Global Alliance of Industries @ NTU (GAIN) organised an inter-company roundtable to explore new business models and opportunities using 3D Printing technology.

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### Alliance to End Plastic Waste (AEPW) Signing Ceremony

At the Alliance to End Plastic Waste (AEPW) signing ceremony with the Global Alliance of Industries @ NTU (GAIN), the Singapore Economic Development Board (EDB) highlighted that "the Alliance's industry-led efforts will tap on Singapore's research capabilities to catalyse innovations that create value out of plastic waste.

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## GRANT CALLS



### PUB Global Innovation Challenge Application deadline: 31 August 2021

PUB, Singapore's National Water Agency, is in constant pursuit of great ideas to transform into a Smart Utility of the Future. PUB Global Innovation Challenge seeks to accelerate our discovery and adoption of digital solutions and smart technologies to improve operational excellence and meet future water needs.

Click [HERE](#) for more details



### Singapore-France Joint Innovation Call Application deadline: 31 December 2021

The 3rd Singapore-France Joint Innovation Call is now open. Offering Singapore and French companies the opportunity to collaborate on joint innovation projects across multiple sectors, the call will close on 31 December 2021.

Click [HERE](#) for more details

## OTHER EVENTS



### International Built Environment Week

**Date & Time:** 7 - 10 September 2021  
**Registration:** Click [HERE](#) for more details.

The International Built Environment Week (IBEW) is organised by BCA International, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Building and Construction Authority, in partnership with Reed Exhibitions Singapore, and supported by 12 Trade Associations and Chambers. Widely regarded as the most comprehensive event on the built environment in the Asia Pacific, the IBEW is the ideal platform for the global community to converge and share knowledge, exchange experiences and explore business opportunities.



### Singaporean Researchers Global Summit 2021

**Date & Time:** 20 - 21 September 2021  
**Registration:** Click [HERE](#) for more details.

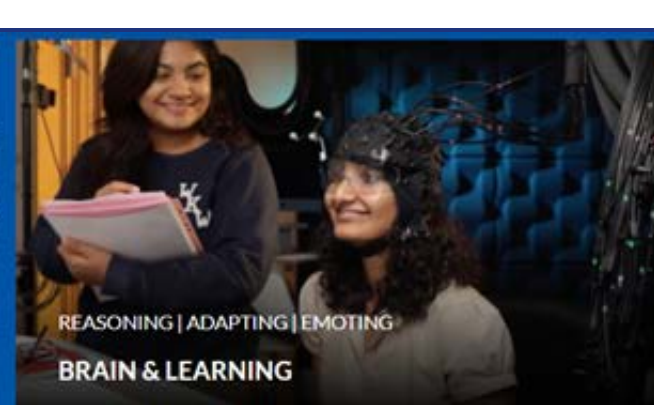
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